

House Resolution No. 3368

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has brought great commitment and steadfast dedication to the teaching profession; and

Whereas, Paulette Woodruff, an esteemed resident of Creighton, Missouri, is retiring from her teaching position with the Raymore-Peculiar R-II School District after a successful career in education that has spanned an incredible twenty-two years; and

Whereas, Paulette Woodruff has played an integral role in the educational development of countless youngsters as a teacher at Ray-Pec Middle School for two years, prior to which time she taught at schools in Raytown and Columbia for twenty years; and

Whereas, Paulette Woodruff has derived a tremendous amount of satisfaction from teaching second, fourth, sixth, seventh, and eighth grades, and from serving as an Algebra I Teacher; and

Whereas, during her impressive tenure with the Raymore-Peculiar R-II School District, Paulette Woodruff has put forth a tremendous amount of effort to make hers a fun and inviting classroom where students can grow and prosper; and

Whereas, selected as the Teacher of the Month and the Teacher of the Year, Paulette Woodruff is exceedingly proud of her affiliation with such important organizations as the Missouri State Teachers Association, the National Education Association, and the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics; and

Whereas, an avid gardener who also enjoys reading, traveling, decorating, and chasing her grandchildren, Paulette Woodruff has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her devoted husband, Theodore Woodruff; her children and their spouses, Nicole and George Clampitt, Jonna and Neal Capuchino, and Jeremy and Michelle Brewer; and her grandchildren, Alec, Jennifer, Brinton, Luke, Josh, and Kyra:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Paulette Woodruff for her twenty-two years of unparalleled service to the Raymore-Peculiar R-II School District and to the education of Missouri's youngest citizens, and in wishing her the long, enjoyable retirement she so richly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Paulette Woodruff.

Offered by _____
Representative Rex Rector
District No. 124

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3368, adopted June 7, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker